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Chester (15)

COPESVILLE VICINITY

(East Bradford Township)

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TAYLOR-PARKE HOUSE (PA-205)

STRUCTURE

N side of State Rte. 162 (Strasburg Rd.),
.2 mi. E of Brandywine Creek Rd. Coursed
ashlar (S front elevation) and random
rubble, approx. 37' (four-bay front) x 34'
(two bays) with setback kitchen wing to E
(approx. 26' x 21'), two-and-a-half stories
with one-and-a-half-story wing, gable roofs,
pent eaves across gable ends, pent roof

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across W and N elevations, porch across S elevation; original woodwork and hardware remains. Built 1768 (date stone S elevation) for Abiah and Ann Taylor; kitchen wing original to house and possibly predates house; screened porch on E elevation of wing added 20th c. Excellent example of mid 18th c. house with interesting masonry and many original features. 4 ext. photos (1960), 6 int. photos (1960).

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